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Kazuyuki IMAGAWA et al. : **Confirmation No. 2688**  
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Sir:

It is hereby requested that a Certificate of Correction issue in accordance with the provisions of 37 CFR 1.322 to correct mistakes in the above-identified patent which are listed below and on the enclosed Form PTO-1050.

**IN THE CLAIMS**

**In Claim 8:**

In column 14, lines 23-24, please replace "body part area; input image; and" with  
--body part area;--.

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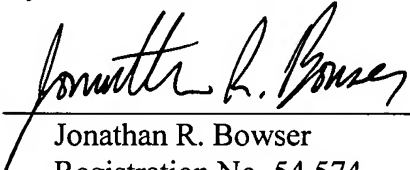
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**REMARKS**

The above-identified error in U.S. Patent No. 7,133,658 incurred through the fault of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, and the identified error is clearly disclosed in the records of the Office. Accordingly, this Request is submitted under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.322, and a Certificate of Correction should issue at no expense to patentees.

Respectfully submitted,

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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

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